

## Sponsorship Form

Name of Sponsor .....  
Address.....  
.....  
Postcode.....

Category of sponsor (Please tick Box)

Personal Gift Aid

Company Donation

Caf Voucher

Amount of Sponsorship

Trinity Winchester

£

Night Shelter,  
Winchester Churches

£

Emmaus Hampshire

£

Stonham – Homegroup  
(Domestic Violence Refuge)

£

Please make all sponsorship cheques payable to  
Your chosen charity(ies).

### Gift Aid it:

In the case of personal donation under the Gift Aid Scheme:  
Please sign the following Declaration. "I am a UK taxpayer and  
agree that the basic rate tax paid on the above donation(s)  
may be rendered under Gift Aid".

Date:

Signature:

## Sponsorship Arrangements

SI Winchester & District is supporting all four organisations working  
with the homeless & vulnerably housed in Winchester.

Only one sponsorship form is required per sponsor and to the extent  
that different organisations are to benefit from your sponsorship pledge  
please indicate the respective amounts in the boxes on the form above  
and provide separate remittances for each of the organisations chosen.

You may Gift Aid your gift by ticking the relevant box for the appropriate  
category of sponsorship, completing the actual amount pledged for  
each charity in the relevant boxes and signing the Gift Aid declaration.

Please return the completed form to your "Sponsored Walker",  
alternatively to Mrs Gill Steel, Rose Cottage, Sparsholt SO21 2NS  
gil.steel@lawskills.co.uk

## About the Charities Supported

**Winchester Women's  
Refuge and Outreach service**  
[www.homegroup.org.uk](http://www.homegroup.org.uk)

The Refuge provides a safe haven to seven women and  
their children fleeing domestic abuse. The outreach  
service is offered to 36 men and women who are  
experiencing Domestic abuse within the Winchester  
area. Self-referral sometimes happens but mostly  
referrals are from other agencies such as social services,  
the police, housing or via the domestic violence helpline.  
The Refuge is run by Stonham which also run 41 refuges  
nationwide, under the umbrella of Home Group (Care  
& Support). SI Winchester & District have supported the  
Refuge since it first opened.

**Trinity Centre Winchester**  
[www.trinitywinchester.org.uk](http://www.trinitywinchester.org.uk)

Is a Winchester based charity that provides practical  
and emotional support to people who are homeless or  
vulnerably housed, via a drop in day service at Durngate  
Place.

**Winchester Churches Night Shelter**  
[www.wcns.org.uk](http://www.wcns.org.uk)

Offers hope and help to the homeless, relieving suffering  
caused by homelessness. Providing accommodation and  
food, safe and caring temporary home and specialist  
support to restore self-esteem develop skills and support  
people back into long term accommodation and  
independent living.

**Emmaus Hampshire**  
[www.emmaushampshire.org.uk](http://www.emmaushampshire.org.uk)

The Emmaus Hampshire Community provides formerly  
homeless people with a supportive environment in  
which to live, work and rebuild their lives. Companions,  
as residents are known, are given the support they need  
to enable them to regain control over their own lives and  
to help those less fortunate than themselves. Donations  
of good quality, second-hand furniture and household  
goods are resold in the Community shop. The income  
generated supports the Community.



## Sponsored Walk Around The Boundary Of Winchester

**Start date:  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2013**

**For one week  
travelling a total of over 82 miles**

### PATRONS:

**Dame Mary Fagan**  
*Lord Lieutenant of Hampshire*

**Cllr Frank Pearson**  
*The Mayor of Winchester*

**George Hollingbery MP**

**Steve Brine MP**

**Sarah Lloyd**  
*Chair of Winchester Churches Night Shelter*

**Alison Thompson**  
*Chair of Emmaus*

**David Walton**  
*Chair of Trinity Centre*

**Carol Harrowell – Stonham-Home Group**  
*Head of Client Services for Hampshire*

**Women  
Walking  
Winchester**



**Women inspiring action,  
transforming lives**

# Please help Winchester & District Soroptimists celebrate International Women's Day by sponsoring our team to walk the boundary of Winchester District.

Setting out from its' western-most point at Sparsholt, the 82 mile route extends east to the Meon Valley, then to Fareham in the south before heading north-west and back to Sparsholt. Over the week, our team of sponsored walkers will follow as close to the boundary as they can.

From Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March – Friday March 15<sup>th</sup> 2013

## Origins and Modern extent of the Boundary of Winchester

The modern extent of the boundary is from Sutton Scotney in the north to Portsdown Hill in the south, and from Hursley in the west to Alresford in the east; 250 square miles in all.

The walk is inspired by the custom known as 'Beating the Bounds.'

Prior to the prominence of maps, knowledge of the limits of each parish needed to be handed down so that the liability of the upkeep of the Parish could not be disputed. The ceremony consisted of parishioners walking the boundary of the parish, taking with them their children as witnesses to ensure that the knowledge would survive as long as possible. The beating of the boundary stones with branches was usual.

This Soroptimists walk acknowledges the political significance of district boundaries for those facing homelessness.



In celebration and to mark International Women's Day on March 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, members of Soroptimist International Winchester will be joining together to start to walk the over 82 mile boundary to raise funds to support four organisations working in Winchester with the homeless and vulnerably housed.

- 1. Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March**  
Walk will be started by the Mayor Of Winchester Councillor Frank Pearson.  
Sparsholt to Norton Manor
- 2. Saturday 9<sup>th</sup>**  
Norton Manor to Brown Candover
- 3. Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>**  
Brown Candover to Bramdean Common
- 4. Monday 11<sup>th</sup>**  
Bramdean Common to Denmead via the Bat and Ball at Hambledon
- 5. Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup>**  
Denmead to Boarhunt
- 6. Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>**  
Boarhunt to Horton Heath/Durley
- 7. Thursday 14<sup>th</sup>**  
Horton Heath/Durley to Ampfield
- 8. Friday 15<sup>th</sup>**  
Ampfield, returning to Sparsholt

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